UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

- against -

DAVID STONE, et al.,

Defendants.

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ORDER

VICTOR MARRERO, United States District Judge.

The Court has reviewed Defendant John Robson's ("Robson") request for a pre-motion conference regarding a proposed motion for reconsideration of the Court's October 7, 2022 Order, as well as the SEC's response, and Robson's reply to the SEC. (See Dkt. Nos. 151, 154, 158.) The Court is not persuaded that a pre-motion conference or further briefing is necessary. The Court deems Robson's submission to be a filed motion on a non-dispositive matter.

As the parties acknowledged in their submissions, "[r]econsideration of a court's previous order is an extraordinary remedy to be employed sparingly in the interests of finality and conservation of scarce judicial resources," and "the standard of review applicable to such a motion is strict." Sikhs for Justice v. Nath, 893 F. Supp. 2d 598, 605 (S.D.N.Y. 2012) (citations and quotations omitted); see also Local Rule 6.3. Moreover, the "burden is on the

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movant to demonstrate that the Court overlooked controlling

decisions or material facts that were before it on the

original motion, and that might materially have influenced

its earlier decision." Sikhs for Justice, 893 F. Supp. 2d at

605 (S.D.N.Y. 2012) (citations and quotations omitted). Thus,

a "party seeking reconsideration may neither repeat arguments

already briefed, considered and decided, nor advance new

facts, issues or arguments not previously presented to the

Court." Id. The movant must "point to controlling decisions

or data that the court overlooked - matters, in other words,

that might reasonably be expected to alter the conclusion

reached by the court." Id.

Upon a careful review of the parties' submissions and

the Court's October 7, 2022 Order, the Court finds that

Defendant Robson has not demonstrated that the Court

overlooked controlling decisions or material facts that were

before it on the original motion. Accordingly, the Motion for

Reconsideration is hereby DENIED.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: 29 November 2022

New York, New York

Victor Marrero U.S.D.J.